

E85 Coalition Steering Committee Meeting
May 25, 2006 @ OEMC - 225 E. 16th Ave., Ste 650, Denver
10am - 11:30am

Attendees:

Ed Lewis, OEMC
Rob Pearson, OEMC
Megan Castle, OEMC
Sara Graf, OEMC
James Geist, Great Western Ethanol
Art Hale, Colorado State Fleet
Gerry Harrow, Weld County Garage
Patrick Hammel, CDPHE
Nikki Kuhn, OEMC
Wayne Morton, Panda Ethanol
Stacey Simms, American Lung Association
Teri Ulrich, Denver Clean Cities
Wendy DeFoe, NREL
Margo Melendez, NREL
Troy Hill, Hill Petroleum
Tim Rehder, EPA
Roger Guzman, Guzman Enterprises

The Committee introduced new member Roger Guzman, from Guzman Enterprises. He will be acting as the "Small Station Owner" representative for the Coalition. In addition, Lenora Bohren, from Colorado State University's Clean Air Center will also be joining the E85 Steering Committee representing "Consumer Groups".

Discussion began with the Coalition's effort to collaborate on a grant proposal in response to the Infrastructure RFP from DOE. The Coalition discussed the RFP and what needs to be included in the grant application. Roles were assigned to Coalition members in order for the proposal to be completed by the grant application June 8th due date. The Committee will be working together to create and assemble all of the materials that will be submitted for this grant. The Governor's Office of Energy Management and Conservation will be the applicant. The Committee discussed possible partnerships to advance and support the mission of the Coalition.

The Committee made the decision to not involve the E85 Coalition at the annual Greeley Stampede event due to funding.

Megan Castle, OEMC, announced that a press release will be issued on behalf of the Governor's Office of Energy Management and Conservation to formally announce the E85 Coalition, the Coalition's mission statement and the members of its Steering Committee.

The Coalition has decided to meet on the 4th Thursday of every month. The next meeting will be held June 22, 2006 from 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. at OEMC. OEMC is located at 225 E. 16th Avenue, Ste. 650 in Denver, CO, 80206.